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Mike,

Now that Montana has adopted the proposed numeric nutrient criteria, I wanted to remind you that we will want to work with MDEQ to revise and update the nutrient assessment method. I know we've discussed this in the past but I think it will be important to update that methodology prior to the 2016 list to align with the State's numeric nutrient criteria approach. I think this would only result in modifications to a few scenarios but just don't want to wait too long into the IR cycle to make those changes.

Maybe in September we can set up a time to discuss the nutrient assessment method in more detail.

Tina